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SIBLEY'S SPEECH

In Denunciation of Gen. Smith
Created a Sensation in
the House

SIBLEY IS AN EXPANSIONIST

And Became a Republican Up-
on That Issue—Water Cure
a Disgrace

Washington, April 28.—Representative Sibley of Pennsylvania created something of a sensation in the house today over the general debate on the agriculture appropriation bill by severely censuring General Smith for the orders issued in the Samar campaign. He declared that General Smith was a disgrace to the uniform he wore and expressed the hope that the president would strip him of his uniform within forty-eight hours. Sibley's speech was enthusiastically applauded by the democrats and received with some evidence of approval by the republican side. The speech was considered more remarkable in that it came from a republican who left the democratic party on the issues raised by the Spanish war and who since has been an ardent expansionist. William G. Blaine, Mississ., endorsed what Sibley said.

Upon the conclusion of the general debate, slow progress was made with the bill, only 25 of the 49 pages being discussed.

Sibley, in his speech, said he had been an expansionist and defended the administration's Philippine policy. In conclusion, he said:

"When I have heard the statements made that we were timid in the conduct of that war, I have thought perhaps a parenthesis was speaking. But when I read that a general, wearing the uniform of the army of the United States, one who stands under the shadow of our flag, is seen ordering to annihilate the provinces, but to leave it a howling wilderness and kill all above 10 years of age, then it seems to me humanity must have increased backward eighteen centuries and that Herod again appears. I have read of Timur, the Tartar; I have read of Achilles; I have read of the Samnite courage, but I thank God that since the tragic scene on Calvary, it has taken eighteen centuries to produce a Sibley. I have read of the 'twelve curse,' the eve that was exaggerated. Can any man whose blood bounds in his pulses, whose heart beats, read his ribs or who has been reared at the knee of a Christian woman, justify the perpetration of such cruelties upon another man who wears the image of his creator? And yet, we hear of this man attempting to justify his acts by which men are pumped full of water as nearly to drown them and then brought back to life by thumbing the liver over the stomach with the heat of a nail. This is not civilization, this is not progressing the world."

He appealed to the members of both sides of the house to enter their protest, calling on Smith's orders as a disgrace to civilization and hoped that the general would not be allowed to wear the chief military another twenty-four hours.

Steamship Arrivals

Boston, April 28.—Philander der Gruen, from New York via Cherbourg, and Count Kaiser Wilhelm der Gruen, from New York via Plymouth for Britain (proceeded).

Gouverneur Morris, from New York, Captain and General (proceeded), "Carthaginian," from New York.

Quincy-Saxonia, from New York, a York Kaiserlin Marine Thermae, from Genoa and Naples; Kohl, from Dresden.

Loyalty Civic, from New York, Glasgow-Carthagenian from New York via Moyle.

Will Increase Deposits

Washington, April 28.—Secretary Sayre said today that on May 1 he would increase the deposits in the national bank depositories by three to four million dollars. He also will designate additional depositories. It is understood no further increase in the deposits will be made after May 1 as the repeal of the war revenue act is expected to result in a sharp decrease of the government receipts from the beginning of the fiscal year when the law will go into operation.

Hogs in Germany

Berlin, April 28.—The compilation of statistics from forty-eight of the leading cities of Germany shows that 361,281 fewer hogs were slaughtered in those cities during the year ended on March 21, than in the preceding year.

The Butchers' Gazette uses these figures to prove the statement made before the tariff committee of the Reichstag by Count Von Posadowsky-Wehner, imperial secretary of state, for the interior, that Germany is fully able to supply her home demand for meat,

SILVER FOR SCHLEY

Citizens of Memphis Present a Beautiful Collection—A Banquet Follows

Memphis, Tenn., April 28.—Admiral Schley was the guest of the city of Memphis today. At the Auditorium he was presented with a silver service by the committee on behalf of eighteen thousand subscribers to the fund for that purpose. The movement to present a testimonial was originated by the Commercial Appeal a year ago. The service is a magnificent collection, consisting of a chest of inlaid wood of one hundred pieces, two candleabra of beautiful design, one ewer and a loving cup bearing a bust relief of the admiral on one side and the cruiser Brooklyn on the other.

Tonight Schley was banqueted and the admiral made a brief speech. Governor McMillan and others also spoke.

TEXAS TORNADO

Five Persons Killed at Glenrose and Many Were Injured

Dallas, Tex., April 28.—Seven persons were killed by a tornado at Glenrose this evening. The dead:

MRS. CARD MILAN.

TWO-YEAR-OLD DAUGHTER of J. R. Milan.

REV. MR. FORD, pastor of Methodist church.

MISS MAE CONNELL.

MRS. GAGE.

BOY named Midgrove.

UNKNOWN.

Many persons were injured. One-third of the business houses of the town were demolished.

REMEMBERS HIS HELPERS

John B. Newton Receives a Present of \$25,000

Knoxville, Tenn., April 28.—John B. Newton, who was general manager of the Atlanta, Knoxville & Northern railroad when it was sold to the Louisville & Nashville, received a check for \$25,000 from Henry McHarg, former owner of the Atlanta, Knoxville & Northern, as a present. McHarg has also asked for a copy of the last monthly payroll and his reported intention is to give each of the 1,000 employees one month's salary as a present. McHarg is reported to have cleared between two and three million dollars by the sale of his road.

WILL ARBITRATE

Newspaper Publishers Make Contracts with Printers and Pressmen

Chicago, April 28.—The American Newspaper Publishers' Association, embracing a large majority of the leading newspapers of the country, has entered an agreement for industrial arbitration with the International Typographical Union and the International Printing pressmen and assistants, to continue five years from May first, 1902. All the mechanical departments are covered. The agreements are confined to members of the association and the chief advantage is that industrial peace is secured, not only for the term of any local contract, but also for the period between the termination of the old contract and the formation of the new one.

President Guest of Honor

Washington, April 28.—President and Mrs. Roosevelt were the guests of honor at a dinner party tonight at the residence of Secretary of Agriculture and Mrs. Wilson. The company included also Speaker and Mrs. Henderson, the latter having only recently returned from California. Senator and Mrs. Culbom, Senator Keane, Assistant Secretary of War and Mrs. Sanger, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Walsh, Mr. and Mrs. James Pinchot of New York and Miss Keane.

Mourn Morton's Death

Washington, April 28.—The officials of the department of agriculture today adopted appropriate resolutions on the death of former Secretary Morton at Chicago yesterday. Dr. C. E. Dyson of Chicago, headquartermaster of the bureau of animal husbandry, H. J. Cox of Chicago, Senator Keane, Assistant Secretary of War and Mrs. Sanger, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Walsh, Mr. and Mrs. James Pinchot of New York and Miss Keane.

Indiana's Monument

Indianapolis, April 28.—The soldiers and sailors' monument will be dedicated May 15. Among those who have been invited to be present are the president and cabinet, Indiana congressmen, General Miles, Admiral Dewey, the governors of all states, Admiral Taylor, the members of the Indiana legislature and the surviving members of the legislature of 1887 which authorized the construction of the monument and appropriated the money for it.

An Embassy at Washington

Rome, April 28.—The senate today passed, without discussion, a bill providing for the purchase of a building at Washington to be occupied by the Italian embassy. The purchase of this building was approved by the chamber of deputies on April 9.

Has Double Pneumonia

Baltimore, Md., April 28.—Rev. Robert G. Osborne of Mosine, Wis., was elected rector of the House of Prayer (Episcopal) to succeed Rev. Warner Edward, recently elected to New York.

FINE CATHEDRAL

Erected by Catholics Will be Dedicated at Peoria Today

BISHOP SPALDING'S JUBILEE

Will be Celebrated in Becoming Style on Wednesday— Illinois News

BULL BUUTER BILL

Goes to the President—Simmons on the Philippine Situation

Washington, April 28.—After a brief discussion today the senate agreed to the house amendments on the reorganization bill as passed by the senate. The measure now goes to the president for his signature.

An effort was made by Teller of Colorado to amend the measure so as to levy a tax of 10 per cent of the capital or assets on any butter trust that might be formed, but it was defeated.

Simons of North Carolina addressed the senate in opposition to the Philippine government bill. He urged the Philippines ought to be turned over to the inhabitants of the islands. He denounced the cruelties and barbarities alleged to have been committed on the Filipinos by the American army and said he felt like calling upon the great, brave and humane man now in the White House to probe these things to the bottom and at last make them explicit."

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Consideration of the sundry civil appropriation bill was begun but not concluded.

MORTON NO MORE

Ex-Secretary of Agriculture Dies at Son's Home Near Chicago

Chicago, April 28.—Sterling Morton, secretary of agriculture under the fast Cleveland administration, died Sunday afternoon at the residence of his son, Mark Morton, at Lake Forest, Ill.

His sons, Mark, Paul and Joy Morton, with their families, were at the bedside of their father when the end came. His physicians, Drs. Haven of Lake Forest and Henry B. Favill of this city were in almost constant attendance on their patient during the last few days, although they and the family were fully aware that there was no hope of his recovery.

Secretary Morton's illness dates from last November, when he contracted a severe cold while speaking at the stock show in Chicago. The cold ran into an attack of grip and Mr. Morton was in the hospital for several weeks. When he was able to travel he returned to his home at Nebraska City, Neb., where he suffered a relapse.

SMITH'S POLICY NECESSARY

That's the Opinion of Major Waller—How Samar Natives Fight

Manila, April 28.—Major Waller was a witness before the Smith court martial today. He testified to receiving Smith's order to "kill and burn" and render Samar "howling wilderness." He said that the natives of Samar were more treacherous and implacable than the tribesmen of Samban, and that without Smith's drastic measures the war there would not have been ended yet. Smith never intended to kill the women or children.

Other witnesses testified to seeing native boys 12 years of age fighting and slashing with bows; two boys attack a soldier, one with a bow, the other with a dagger; friendly natives butchered in cold blood by insurgents, and the mutilation of American dead by Samar natives.

THE EXCLUSION BILL

Conference Report Adopted by Both Houses—Goes to the President

Washington, April 28.—Both houses have adopted the conference report on the Chinese exclusion bill. Now it goes to the president.

It strikes out that portion of the bill limiting the extension of all existing laws to the life of the present treaty, and re-enacts them so far as is not inconsistent with the treaty obligations until otherwise provided by the law, and extends the laws to our islands and territories so far as applicable. It allows the Chinese to enter for exposition purposes and retains the provision regarding certification in the Philippine Islands.

FIRE

Aberdeen, S. D., April 28.—The interstate grain palace exposition building, together with two residences and a large barn were totally destroyed by fire early today. Heavy rains probably saved the business portion of the city from being destroyed. The financial loss is \$20,000.

Big Lumber Sale

Marquette, Mich., April 28.—Alger Smith & Co., who operate a saw mill at Grand Marais, Mich., sold twenty-three million feet of high grade lumber to eastern parties. The consideration is about \$4,000,000, the largest number sale of the year in the Lake Superior region.

Mysterious Kansas Murder

Atwood, Kan., April 28.—Dr. J. A. Rowland of Herndon, Kan., was mysteriously shot and killed here today in a room adjoining Dull's general store. He was found dead with a bullet through his head and another through the stomach. No weapon was found to carry out the theory of suicide and no trace of permanent employment, and placed within the operations of civil service law.

Steel Workers' Scale

Wheeling, W. Va., April 28.—The Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers today adopted, with a few changes, the report of the scale committee. This is considered a victory for President Shaffer. The scale is practically the same as last year.

President Signs Bill

Washington, April 28.—The president signed the legislative appropriation bill. Under its provisions one thousand or more clerks, temporarily appointed during the war with Spain, are given permanent employment, and placed within the operations of civil service law.

Mauzy-Cooper

H. O. Cooper and Mae Mauzy will be married in Decatur on Tuesday at 10 a.m. Fred Tirtloft and Mr. Charles Bircham will officiate as groomsman and bridesmaid. Mr. Cooper was formerly a brakeman, but will move to his father's farm near Forsyth, Miss. Mauzy is well known in this city—Clinton Public.

A JAIL SENTENCE

For Captain and Marines of the U. S. Cruiser Chicago

IS METED OUT AT VENICE

Men Charged with Disorderly Conduct But Say They Are Not Guilty

Venice, Italy, April 28.—Captain Robert P. Wyane, commanding the marine guard; Robert E. Lebette, assistant surgeon; Lieutenant John S. Baldridge and a marine named Wilfred Langley, all of the United States cruiser Chicago, who were arrested Friday night on the charge of disorderly conduct, were brought up at the San Marco police court here today. Captain Wyane was sentenced to four months and ten days imprisonment. The other prisoners were sentenced to three months' imprisonment. All the prisoners are sentenced to pay the costs and damages.

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GOVERNMENT TO RELIEF

Will Take Charge of the Shipping Through Soo Canal

Detroit, April 28.—Major W. H. Bixby, United States engineer in charge of rivers and harbors here, has been appointed to be Superintendent Ripley of the Soo canal for some means of relieving the congested condition of the shipping at that point owing to the strike of the tug firers. The strike interfered seriously with the navigation through the canal and Bixby has announced that he will at once provide a means of getting the boats through the canal, either by furnishing government tugs to do the work or by means of steam tugs or an electric trolley system. Whatever the plans are adopted by the government to relieve the present condition will be made permanent, thus obviating interference with the navigation in the future.

SUPPOSED MRS. LUETGERT

Is Taken in by Chicago Officers for Further Investigation

Chicago, April 28.—Mrs. Mary Robbins, who is believed to be the wife of the sausage maker, was taken into custody tonight because of the strong suspicion that attaches to her case. The woman told apparently conflicting stories, but insisted that she is not Mrs. Luettgert. Attorney Harlan, who defended Luettgert asserts that he is more than ever convinced that she is Mrs. Luettgert and a detective declared he believes she is the widow of the sausage maker.

At a meeting of the directors of the Canadian Pacific, it was decided to allow the ship to proceed to the port of call.

CANT FIGHT THE COMBINE

London, April 29.—Wiring from Pretoria, underdate of April 27, a correspondent of the Telegraph says that General Botha, with other Boer leaders, attended a meeting of Utrecht and Vryheid commanders last week and strong opinions in favor of peace were expressed. The tacit truce in Utrecht and Vryheid districts will expire tomorrow.

CANT FIGHT COMBINE

London, April 29.—The Express this morning asserts positively that the shipping combine has forced the Canadian Pacific to boycott the Beaver line steamers by a threat that if the road failed to comply with the combine's demands no emigrant carried on any ship under the control of the combine would be allowed to travel over the Canadian Pacific.

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CHOATE'S RECEPTION

London, April 29.—Joseph Choate, United States ambassador, and Mrs. Choate, gave a brilliant reception tonight. The guests included most of the foreign ambassadors in London and prominent persons in the diplomatic world, almost all the members of the American colony and lenders in London society. The reception marks the opening of entertainments by the Americans in London for the season of the coronation year.

FOLLOW THE TRUST

Price of Ham and Beef Sandwiches Are Raised

Ashland, Wis., April 28.—The Washburn-Bayfield and Iron River railway was sold to the Northern Pacific. The consideration is said to be \$145,000. The road has been in litigation for some time.

The Results in Africa

London, April 28.—The war office has made public the following from Kitchener:

Since April 21, 25 Boers were killed, 78 taken prisoners and 25 surrendered.

French Elections

Paris, April 28.—The latest election figures show 248 ministerialists and 182 anti-ministerialists elected to the chamber of deputies.

Secret Society Events

By a special dispensation Myrt Temple held their regular meeting on Monday afternoon, and in the evening held a winter picnic. The long table were spread in the dancing hall and loaded with plenty of good things. Every lady's basket was brought filled and the feast was sumptuous. Dancing followed the supper.



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He treats all curable cases of catarrh, nose, throat, lung diseases, eye and ear, stomach, liver and kidneys, gonorrhœa, syphilis, venereal diseases, heart and heart diseases, blood and skin diseases, Bright's disease, and consumption in early stages, disease of bladder and female organs.

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GOOD WORK AT FAIR PRICES

Is the motto of the Decatur Herald in its

Job... Department.

No work should be sent away. It can all be done at home.

COUNTY RECORDS AND BANK WORK A SPECIALTY.

The King and the Check

Once upon a time, an Ethiopian king was waging a war on the chess board found himself so surrounded by the enemy's pawns that he was unable to move.

"Alas!" he said, as he looked over the field and appreciated the grave danger of his position. "I find myself in pawn, but where can I find the means of redemption?"

Just then a white knight made a masterly leap over the king's castle and, confronting His Majesty, thus addressed him:

"Here is a check for you."

"Now I am totally ruined," answered the king.

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MORE CARRIERS FINE FOR TRAVIS

Asked for by Postmaster Calhoun with Prospects of Success

ALSO ONE MORE CLERK

Postmaster Calhoun same time ago made application to the department at Washington for an increase in the clerical and carrier force of the local office, with very fair success of having the request granted. He asks for an allowance of two additional carriers, thereby increasing the force to sixteen and one clerk. Any one familiar with the affairs of the office recognizes the fact that the increase is essential to good service.

With the growth of Decatur in recent years there has been such an extension of territory that it is now impossible for the present force of carriers to give the people the character of the town and the business of the office justifies.

Under present conditions there is a large section of the city which receives but one delivery of mail per day. This condition prevails in one-third of the territory of eight carriers. If the increase is allowed by the department, those patrons of the office, so far as possible, will secure an extra delivery of their mail each day. An increase in the territory served will also be possible.

With the present force of carriers the work in the office is extremely heavy. On some days carriers will have the office carrying eighty pounds of mail. Decatur is a great magazine town, and with the arrival of these periodicals each month the men have all the work they can possibly do. The magazines, as all those who read them know, are very heavy.

An inspector will shortly be here to take over the field and make a recommendation in regard to the extra allowance of carriers.

During the past few days a new numbering machine has been put in use in the money order department of the postoffice. This is an improvement that has long been needed.

The postmaster says that one of the requirements of the department, before free delivery service is extended, is good walks and the numbering of houses. The letter is one of the requirements much neglected by the people.

ENCOURAGING BOYS

Winnebago Institute Is Trying to Get Them Interested in Agriculture

The following circular is being sent out to the farmer boys of Winnebago county:

"All boys of 18 years of age or under who will send their names and postage address to George F. Tullock, secretary of the Winnebago County Farmers' Institute, with 5 cents to pay postage, will receive one pint of carefully selected seed corn, the very best that the committee in charge could secure. Each boy in receiving the corn will plow the ground, plant and cultivate the corn himself, making careful records of the time and method of planting, kind of soil and method of cultivating. At the next Winnebago County Farmers' Institute he will be entitled to bring in the twelve best ears of corn he raised, to be judged by an expert corn judge. A large list of premiums will be offered, just what at this time cannot be stated, as the committee having the work in charge have not yet finished the work.

But there is every assurance of a valuable list including pedigreed live stock, agricultural implements, clothing, cash, etc.

Valueable Horse Recovered

Neat Oakley a few days ago, Constance W. W. Conrad recovered for J. Constance & Son of Lafayette, Ind., a horse for which they had been searching for several months. The item sold to G. E. Sparks of Vermillion county, Ind., a stallion valued at \$1800. After paying \$1000 on the horse, Sparks disappeared, taking the horse with him. Later it was learned that the animal had been sold to a man named Stewart, living at Muncie, and he had given the animal to the keeping of a man named Houston, living north of Oakley, and it was noted that it was recovered. While the search for the horse was being made Sparks was arrested and is now in jail at Lafayette. The horse has been shipped to that city to Constance & Son.

Frosted

The excursions to Chicago were frost-bitten Saturday. There were not more than three hundred persons all told to come from this city. The local agents had expected at least three times that number, and, no doubt, if the weather had been favorable, they would not have been disappointed. Persons familiar with Chicago weather did not care to visit that city on pleasure bent under the prevailing conditions.

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The Burgo master was given at the opera house last night to an audience in comparison with the numbers it drew on the occasion of the former visits to this city. The play is as entertaining as ever, but it is evident that all of the tragedoes of Decatur have seen it and that three times is once too often for a town of this size.

Broken Arm

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TWO WILLS

That of Negro Minister Showed Greater Wealth Than the Banker

There was offered for probate yesterday the will of a man who died recently, who had been for some thirty years a negro minister. He began his career as a minister in the very year that Frederick D. Tappan was elected president of the Galathian National bank. In all that time Mr. Tappan has been associated with the great company of financiers of New York, and upon four or five occasions was the emergency general who led the forces of the clearing house against the panic-stricken forces of the Stock Exchange and put panic and demoralization to rout. The minister West leaves an estate estimated at a little over \$500,000, and another who was for many years his partner, still living, is according to common belief, the possessor of even greater wealth than that.

Mr. Tappan's will has not been probated yet, but it is the impression of those who knew something of his affairs that will be found that he left a very modest estate. There will be great surprise if it is discovered that Mr. Tappan possessed as much as \$200,000. He was accustomed to say that he was in great measure depending upon his salary as bank president for his support.

The explanation for this apparently strange inconsistency is discovered in the temperament and ambitions of the two men. The minister was a very prudent man who had cultivated habits of saving, whose habits were good and who had ambition to make a considerable fortune. Mr. Tappan had no ambition whatever to be a rich man. He was able several times to save very rich men from distress and even bankruptcy, and one of the most vivid of his recollections was the hideous despondency with which a man new of international prominence in the group of great railway organizers and combines came to him on the eve of the panic of 1893, saying that he was ruined unless the clearing house did something. The clearing house did do something the next day which saved not only this man but a great many others.

Mr. Tappan's great ambition was the perfection of the New York Clearing House Association, and only a few days before his last sickness he said to the writer that he believed the clearing house system was perfect with a single exception that there was one weak spot in it to which he had given a great deal of thought in the hope of strengthening it. It was the weak spot that was disclosed at the time of the great emergency and embarrassment occasioned by the failure of the Seventh National bank. Mr. Tappan hoped in the course of this year to have devised some method which would make an experience of that kind again impossible.—New York Letter in Philadelphia Press.

MT. ZION.

Mrs. Fannie Smith is very low. Mrs. P. J. Clinton and daughter Mary of Decatur visited with friends here last week.

Mrs. Flaudie Able, who has been so dangerously ill, is reported better. Miss Mollie Hines visited with friends in Macau Sunday.

Dona McLaughlin of Lincoln visited with his parents here Sunday.

Mrs. T. Bone of Bethany visited with S. D. Smith and family last week.

Miss Mabel Vermillion, who has been quite ill, is reported to be slightly improved.

Miss Estella Dunning, who fell down stairs some time ago at her brother Charles' home, is greatly improved.

Miss Lida Greenfield is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Burcham, in Kenny, April 23.

CLINTON.

The new board of supervisors met at the court house on Tuesday. As a result of the democratic election L. C. LaFerty was chosen chairman. The rules of the old body will also be those of the new. The usual report of the grand jury—

Man With the Rake

Bowed with the weight of centuries I stand, like Marlowe's hen, I feel my spirit's sally freeze!

They're dropping down to zero, Although in flowers I choose to sing.

My spading thoughts have taken wings;

I've got to dig the garden, I love to write of jocund morn,

But seem to meet the charmer,

I'm just wonder in the corn,

While I'm a paper farmer,

Now in the dirty soil I poke,

With shovel most ungainly—

A woman's face I make a joke—

Or never till now fully,

A farmer's boddle—it makes me sick!

A miserable takeoff!

I spread the fertilizer—thick—

A nasty kind of cake-off.

My bro's wet with honest sweat,

My back is nearly breaking,

But for the little wife, you hot,

The job I would be "shaking."

No man should sing of joyous spring:

Or if he'll get enough, sir,

A strenuous life he'll lead when wife is there to call his bluff, sir.

—Pittsburg Press.

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that the jail was an unsanitary place for prisoners and was also unsafe for the detention of them—was read and as usual laid on the cabin. The opinion of the supreme court was received and placed on file. The bills were read and referred to the various committees, Chairman LaFerty appointed committees on roads and bridges, finance, book and printing, claims, poor and poor farm public building, abatement, investigation and miscellaneous. Further time was asked for and granted on letting the contract for the vault in the court house. Charles R. Alair was allowed \$100 for the amount due on the collection of back taxes and board adjourned until the second Monday in June.

The old council met on Monday night in its last regular session. The treasurer's report was read—showed \$174,739.63 on hand—and was ordered filed.

Alderman Barnett reported that it had been decided to let the matter of reducing salaries go over to the new council and the council adjourned until Wednesday, April 30. The new council will meet at the morning of May 1.

Mrs. Mary Campbell, formerly of this city, died at her home in Lexington on Saturday. The funeral was held from the M. E. church at that place on Tuesday.

Alderman F. M. Palmer was again in Squier Ritchie's court today on a charge of killing a steer in Chicago at an average price of \$408.77 per head. The sales for 1901 up to date aggregate \$147 head at an average of \$428.84. This decrease in average is attributed to the large number of cheaper animals sold at the Red Poll sale, in which the average price was more than 50 per cent less than the average of either of the other beef breeds.

Last year the Shorthorns averaged \$101.11—Herdlands, \$239.60; Angus, \$108.63; Galloways, \$285. For this year the following will show the number of each breed and the average price paid:

235 Shorthorns brought \$109.11, average \$39.93; 225 Angus brought \$81.76, average \$363.53; 269 Herdlands brought \$88.59, average \$329.18; 58 Red Polls brought \$104.30, average \$178.00; 847 head brought \$290, average \$312.81.—Drovers' Journal.

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The Pests Said to be Due Again This Summer

Once again

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There is no telling what hole in the Cuban reciprocity bill the democrats will come out of. Even Bryan, the prophet, cannot tell.

The Baltimore American suggests that perhaps it would please our desk warriors more if the commanding general in the Philippines were selected from some collector of waxworks."

Senator Mason is said to have suddenly become a prospective millionaire through an investment in a gold mining property which, it is said, will yield \$20,000,000. Should this report prove correct the senator ought to be able to make the senatorial contest interesting to all comers.

The Boers in the field have taken up the matter of peace in earnest. They are reported to have in a measure ignored Kruger, who is out of touch with the stirring events of the war, and will settle the matter for themselves. In this they are acting wisely for more than any other one man unless it is Mr. Chamberlain. Mr. Kruger is responsible for the war which he could have easily avoided without dishonor.

General Funston is a fighter and a mighty good swimmer, and ordinarily might have a right to talk as he pleased, but having accepted a commission in the regular army, it is necessary to prevent him discussing the situation in the Philippines to keep General Miles from breaking out again. The object is a laudable one and Funston ought to be willing to make the sacrifice.

With Logan and DeWitt counties instructed as to the republican senatorial question and Marion instructed and in the minority in the senatorial convention, it looks like no instructions in that body, which is just as well, as this is one of the times when republicans had better be candidates before the people without being tied up to any senatorial aspirant. There is no telling what may happen and there may come a time when we might desire to support a man from our own congressional district.

Once more the old world is to profit by an example set by the new and within a year England may have a great labor court modelled upon the recently formed national civic federation. So impressed has Alfred Mosley, C. M. G., the English multi-millionaire, become with the possibilities of the American organization, headed by Senator Hanna, that he has decided to his intimate friends he will do all in his power to establish a similar body, representing labor, capital and the public at large in his own land.

Those of the opposition who are trying to make themselves believe the division of republicans in the lower house of congress on the Cuban reciprocity is permanent will have their hopes for their pains. The division was not on a matter of principle but grew out of a division of opinion as to whether the United States was under any moral obligation to aid Cuba at the expense of some of our own industries or not. There were those who believed we ought to do so while others believed we ought not and that is all there is of it. The republican party is united on the tariff question except perhaps a difference as to some details of an unimportant character. The general principle has the support of all republicans and the sympathy of thousands of democrats in every state in the union.

THE PENSION FOR MRS. HARRISON

There is still some chance for a pension for the widow of ex-President Harrison and it is said Senator Beveridge has agreed to introduce a measure for that purpose. It is difficult to understand why such a pension should be asked for. President Harrison did not die in office and married the woman who is now his widow after he was in office. It would be an awkward precedent to pass a pension bill for the benefit of Mrs. Harrison under the circumstances. If there is any reason for conferring an

annual pension upon her there would be the same reason to pension the widow of an ex-president who might marry him years after he had been president and it might be a case of a young woman marrying a very old man. On the face of it the proposition looks bad. Then again Mrs. Harrison is not at all in need of such a benefit from the government and under the circumstances ought not accept, much less permit it to be asked.

THE OLEO BILL IN CONGRESS

Friends of the oleomargarine bill, which passed the house, have been making a canvass of the senate to ascertain what disposition of the measure will be made by that body. Opponents of the bill have been claiming that the senate would refuse to concur in the house amendments and that the legislation would be finally defeated. The only house amendment of importance is that which reduces the tax on process butter from \$500 a year, as fixed by the senate amendment to \$50 a year. It is claimed now that the bill as it was passed by the house will be accepted by the senate as the amendment made by the house is not in any degree objectionable.

The opponents of the bill in the house made a strong effort to place restrictions and process butter on the same footing with oleomargarine, but they were defeated by a two-thirds majority. In the course of some remarks to a pro forma amendment, Mr. Ray of New York, chairman of the judiciary committee, expressed the opinion that the bill when finally tested in the supreme court would be declared unconstitutional.

GOVERNOR JEFF DAVIS

Governor Jeff Davis of Arkansas is having troubles of his own. He was one of the leaders in his state who assisted in overthrowing Senator Jones of round bottom hat and chairman of the national democratic committee. Both men seem to be members of the Baptist church and the impression one gets from a statement made by Governor Jeff Davis in relation to the matter is that the friends of Senator Jones, having failed at politics, have undertaken to even up with Davis by attacking his church relations. Governor Davis says: "My only offense is that I lent my humble assistance in defeating their idol, James K. Jones, who is now a political corpse and the official decapitation of my distinguished friends, Governor Eagle. They may turn me out of the church, but the Lord will take care of his own, and my friends have borne me kindly and gentle above this vile slander and persecution."

The charges filed against Governor Davis in the Baptist church so far as liquids are concerned embrace every thing except the water-cure. They are as follows:

1. Drunkenness on a train coming from Canada during his term as governor.

2. Drunkenness and disgraceful conduct while at Hot Springs on October 30, 1901, attending the meeting of the Wisconsin Press association.

3. Drunkenness and immoral conduct at Peaslee.

4. Drunkenness and treating negroes on a train while passing through Benton county.

5. Drunkenness on a Checotah train on May 1 following the recent election.

6. Requiting gambling houses in Little Rock and specific charges of gambling and losing a large sum of money at Hot Springs.

7. General charge of violating his obligations as a member of the Second Baptist church and the principles of the denomination.

Governor Davis declares: "Whoever said I was drunk or gambled is an infamous liar. I am ready for trial at any time and all times, and defy the traitors and hypocrites to do their worst. When a trial occurs I want time to get witnesses and counsel. I will then present in writing specific charges against some of the biggest hypocrites and members ostensibly in the highest standing of the church."

This may look like it was in the Second Baptist church in Little Rock, Ark., and the country may wonder before the trial ends how whiskey and water has been mixed as long as it has without weakening enough to keep the brethren from becoming sour. It is not reported whether Jeff Davis or James K. Jones pays most for the support of the gospel. That matter ought to be developed in the trial as well as which has the edge on expenditures for red liquor.

Births.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Anton Schumann, at their home, 850 East Clay street, Thursday, April 21, a son.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Holzsch, at their home, 781 East Decatur street, Thursday, April 21, a son.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Ash, at their home, in Harristown, township, Friday, April 21, a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Sechrist, at their home, 334 South Main street, Thursday, April 21, a daughter.

George Eichinger is in Springfield on business.

Use Allen's Foot Ease

A powder to be shaken into the shoes. Your feet feel swollen, nervous and hot, and get tired easily. If you have swelling feet or tight shoes, try Allen's Foot Ease. It cools the feet and makes walking easy. Cut swollen, sweating feet, growing wrinkles, blisters and callous. Relieves cramps and spasms of all pain and gives rest and comfort. Try it today. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores for 25c. Trial package 15c.

Broke Her Arm

Thursday evening about 8 o'clock, Katie Gharett, the 15-year-old daughter of W. H. Gharett, fell from a haymow at the family residence, 1850 East Main street, and broke both bones of her left forearm just above the wrist.

The bigger a little man is the less he amounts to.

HOW THEY RANK CLARK VS. CLARK

County Superintendent Keller Completes the Marking of Papers

IN FINAL EXAMINATION

Showing How the Pupils of the Eighth and Tenth Grades Stand in the Work

BOTH ARE DENIED THE DECREEE

Jury in the Jameson Case Finds Both Defendants Not Guilty—Present Term May Adjourn Monday

County Superintendent Keller has completed the work of marking the papers of the eighth and tenth grade pupils of the country schools who took the final examination on the fifteenth of March. The rank name of the pupil and school are given below:

EIGHTH GRADE PUPILS.

Name School.

1. Nellie Duvall. Zion.

2. Lydia Mohler. Hess.

3. Eddie Buckingham. Blue Dog.

4. Earl Williams. Boddy.

5. Delphie Davis. Boddy.

6. Vanda Hoppe. Turner.

7. Benjamin Cochran. Long Creek.

8. Lawrence Meyers. Eldorado.

9. Alberta Thrift. Elwood.

10. Bebe Meyers. Eldorado.

11. Arthur Tomlinson. Davis.

12. Laura Towne. Hill.

13. Roy Bonham. Fairview.

14. Dot Houseman. Forest Grove.

15. Haleck Mundt. Mt. Zion.

16. Ralph Bean. Rosedale.

17. Besia Newcome. Washington.

18. Leda Lichtenberger. Eldorado.

19. Pearl Frantz. Hess.

20. Otto Kyle. Cross Roads.

21. Jesse Dennis. Berry.

22. Martin Cormen. Salem.

23. Waldo Cross. Boddy.

24. Minnie Nishburg. Boddy.

25. Anna Reckwardt. Kirby.

26. John Carmean. Casier.

27. Dolly Duvall. Zion.

28. Ethel Peek. Peek.

29. Ella Waggoner. Berry.

30. Nelson Kraschel. Davis.

TENTH GRADE PUPILS.

Name School.

1. Maude McKinley. Independence.

2. Pearl Burnett. White.

3. Edward Hartwig. Nevada.

4. Arthur Zimmerman. Nevada.

5. Letitia Moreny. Boddy.

6. Edna Trimmer. Mount Mound.

7. Altha Kullenbach. Nevada.

GE

BY THOUSANDS

Books Were Carried Away from
the Public Library on
Saturday

TOTAL NUMBER WAS 3,744

One Quarter of the Books Now in Hands
of Public and Will Not Have to be
Moved to Temporary Quarters

The daily circulation record of the Decatur public library was badly broken on Saturday when a total of 3,744 books were served over the counters to the people who crowded the rooms from 10 o'clock in the morning until past half past six o'clock at night. The people eagerly avoided themselves of the opportunity of taking out six books upon one card and many persons in whose families there were three or more cards brought visitors and telephones with them in which to remove from fifteen to thirty books to which they were entitled. Many persons waited two hours for their books in spite of the fact that an extra force of assistants helped the librarian, Mrs. Evans, in waiting on the patrons.

The librarian kept the rooms open until all who were there at 9 o'clock had secured books, making an extra half hour's work to accommodate the public. After the rush was over the shelves looked as one of the assistants said, "as if a cyclone had struck them." This was true of the fiction and juvenile departments. The call for the latter class of books while not so great numerically as for fiction was much larger in proportion to the usual demands.

Old books which had never been served out were called for and taken away by persons who had never thought of them before. The greater number of people took their allowance in fiction or juvenile but there were exceptions, one amateur electrician just out of school devoted to that class.

The classified circulation was as follows:

Fiction.....	1830
Literature.....	1512
Travel.....	91
Natural sciences.....	49
Biography.....	35
Single numbers of current magazines.....	33
History.....	25
Isol. arts.....	25
General works.....	24
Religion.....	18
Fine arts.....	11
Philosophy.....	11
Sociology.....	11
Philology.....	0

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In addition to the volumes taken out yesterday there are probably over a thousand books out in the city, or a total of about 50,000 volumes which will be saved the moving. This is a very unpredictable saving out of the twenty thousand volumes which make the total of the library.

The greatest previous number in one day's issue was 834 volumes and yesterday's run amounted to four and a half times that number.

OPEN TODAY.

The reading rooms will be open as usual today, but no books will be issued. The work of taking an inventory will commence Monday and will occupy at least four days, then the real moving will commence.

U. S. Wilcox, the city librarian at Peoria has had considerable experience moving libraries and has devised a system involving the least damage to the books and the greatest saving of time to the librarians. To hear him tell of it one would think it was a rather enviable experience to move 15,000 books to new quarters. Mr. Wilcox's method is to use wooden carrying trays a few inches shorter than the shelves of the book stacks. One of these is provided for each shelf of the stack and they are filled directly from the shelves. They are then taken down and moved with the trays full of books to the new location where it is set up and the books replaced in their original position, retaining exactly the same order they had at first. While this takes slightly longer in the actual moving it leaves nothing to be done in the way of classification when the books are replaced. The librarian will write to Mr. Wilcox for a detailed account of his scheme and it will be followed here. In the last move of the Peoria library the trays were put in a chute leading from the library on the third floor of a building and allowed to slide down into drays which carried them to the new location. This would be impossible here but perhaps some system of lowering the trays from the windows can be arranged which will assist the elevators.

THE MOVING.

W. O. McNabb will superintend the moving and Jack Wright, the house carpenter of the Powers building, will have charge of the mechanical and construction part of the work. It is estimated that three weeks will be required for moving, but if possible the library will be opened sooner.

A Bright Child's Question

"Children are living interrogation points," said S. C. Wheat, president of the Male Teachers' Association, during a talk on educational ideals the other day. "My 6-year-old daughter," he continued in explanation of the remark, "came to me yesterday holding a bright new penny in her hand. Her face reflected a serious mental struggle as she asked:

"Papa, why do they put a lot of leaves and a corset on pennies?"—New York Times.

SILENCE WAS OPPRESSIVE

When the Bloomington Pair was Asked to Make a Deposit.

There was a story current Saturday that Bloomington (the Third I league club) had asked for an exhibition game with Decatur. Manager Fred Pfeifer knew nothing about it. He had not received any request of that kind and was not certain, now that the season is so near at hand, that it was worth while trying to get any more exhibition games.

Rooter G. W. Cessna saw a chance to make a play and expose the hollowness of Bloomington and he wired Kinloch and Bell of the Evergreen team asking: "How much can you raise to bet that Bloomington can beat Decatur in an exhibition game?"

Soon he received an answer: "Leave raised \$500; can raise \$500 more," signed Kinloch and Bell.

"Those fellows haven't got five cents," said the rooter and to prove it he wired them:

"Have the cashier of the Corn Belt bank wire me tonight that you have deposited \$500 for Bloomington game with Decatur and I will come over tomorrow and close the bet."

Did he hear anything further from Bloomington? Not a murmur. He had a boy standing with his ear glued to a telephone pole on the Bloomington line, but there was not even the sound of the wind intruding on the wire. Bloomington's players were silent and Cessna's chance to double his money had faded.

Rulers' Odd Titles

Very curious titles are borne by some potentates. The Sultan of Turkey, says an English statistician, who has been collecting data on this subject, has seventy-one titles, and on the parchment containing them are the words: "As many more as may be desired can be added to this number."

Among the titles are "Abdul Hamid, the Eternally Victorious," "the Eternally Smiling," "the Eternally Living-and-Daunting of Crowns to the Heroes on the Thrones" and "Shadow of God on Earth."

The Shah of Persia has also many pompous titles, among them being "Luminous Star of the Firmament," "The One Star That Gives Light to the Celestial Planet," "Pivot of the Universe" and "Magnetic Centre of the Globe."

The funniest title, however, is borne by the ruler of Abyssinia, small kingdom on the borders of Afghanistan. This monarch bears all his degrees as father of King whom all the world should obey, because he preserves life in all human beings, because he regulates the seasons, because he is the father of the sun, and because he is the king of the twenty-four umbrellas."

In order to convince the sceptical that these are no unmeaning words twenty-four umbrellas are always kept in the king's private closet.

How He Was Handicapped

He was a Brooklyn policeman and a tremendously large one. He loomed up like a huge blue elephant, and as the lady waited on the corner near him for a car, she couldn't help saying something about his size, he looked so goodnatured. She rather inclined to believe that it was in the way.

"Well, nothin," he said, "it comes very handy when I've got to push and shove through a crowd, or to reach around the street, or to catch a runaway and swing onto him, but, ma'am," and he sighed, "when it comes to buying pants, ready-made, it's h---"

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THE FRIDAY NIGHT STORM

Did Not Work the Damage That was Look for

The persons who failed to get any sleep Friday night, because of the unusualness occasioned by the violent wind, were really surprised when daylight came to see that so little damage had been done by the storm.

For duration and force combined, the wind was the worst ever known here.

The wonder is that so little damage was done. At 1 o'clock Saturday morning the wind was a perfect gale and persons abroad found it

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OUR ANNUAL

Muslin Underwear Sale Opens Monday Morning

We have accumulated a vast gathering of the best goods from the best makers, and the extremely moderate prices which we quote are out of all proportion to the excellence of the quality.

Every year the styles change a little. Petticoats this year fit very snugly around the hips because the dress skirts are tight fitting. Every indication points to a season of nainsook underclothes, but we have cambric and muslin as well for those who want something heavier.

We call special attention to our collection of gowns, made of cambric, longcloth, nainsook and muslin, daintily trimmed with embroideries, laces, hemstitching and tucking.

An exceptionally fine gown of muslin, cut V-neck, yoke of embroidery inserting and tucks, with cambric ruffles on neck and sleeves, worth 75c, this sale 49c.

Other styles correspondingly cheap, ranging up to \$5.98.

A fine muslin gown cut square with revers of embroidery insertion and hemstitching, India linen ruffles on neck and sleeves, edged with Torchon lace, worth \$1, this sale 75c.

A fine muslin gown, English style, daintily trimmed with embroidery insertion, tucks and hemstitching India linen ruffles on neck and sleeves worth \$1.25, this sale 85c.

A cambric gown, Empire style revers of all over embroidery, edged with India linen ruffles, hemstitched and tucked worth \$1.25, this sale 89c.

A fine cambric gown, cut Hubbard style. Yoke made of fine India linen, pin tucked and hem stitched, trimmed around neck and sleeves with India linen ruffles, edged with French Valenciennes lace, worth \$1.50, this sale \$1.00.

Umbrella drawer, made of cambric 6 inch India linen ruffle, deep hem with cluster of pin tucks and two rows of hemstitching, worth 50c, for this sale 39c.

Umbrella drawer, made of cambric, 6 inch India linen ruffle, edged with 2 inch Torchon lace and three rows of hemstitching worth 65c, for this sale 49c.

Umbrella drawer made of cambric, 4 inch India linen ruffle, daintily trimmed with French Valenciennes lace, inserting and edge to match worth 75c, for this sale, 58c.

Finer qualities correspondingly cheap ranging up to \$3.00.

Drawers

New styles made of fine nainsook, long cloth, cambric and muslin, handsomely trimmed with embroideries, torchon lace, Point de Paris and Valenciennes laces, hemstitched and tucked ed.

A good muslin Drawer, Umbrella style with 4 inch cambric ruffle and deep hem worth 25c, for this sale 20c.

A good muslin Drawer, Umbrella style with 6 inch cambric ruffle, deep hem and hemstitched worth 35c, for this sale 25c.

Pretty dimity dressing sacks and kimonos at \$1.00, \$1.50, and \$2.00 each.

White lawn dressing sacks 75c to \$3.00 each.

Dressing Sacques and Kimonos

Very pretty-colored lawn dressing sacks made with deep collar, wide sleeve, collars and cuffs, trimmed with deep ruffle, \$1.50 each.

Pretty dimity dressing sacks and kimonos at \$1.00, \$1.50, and \$2.00 each.

White lawn dressing sacks 75c to \$3.00 each.

Corset Covers

Special attention is called to our very large assortment of fine corset covers, comprising all the new French shapes made of cambric, nainsook, and India linens.

Good cambric corset cover, French style worth 29c, for this sale 22c.

tucks and hemstitched worth 49c, for this sale 35c.



Umbrella drawer, made of cambric 6 inch India linen ruffle, deep hem with cluster of pin tucks and two rows of hemstitching, worth 50c, for this sale 39c.

Umbrella drawer, made of cambric, 6 inch India linen ruffle, edged with 2 inch Torchon lace and three rows of hemstitching worth 65c, for this sale 49c.

Umbrella drawer made of cambric, 4 inch India linen ruffle, daintily trimmed with French Valenciennes lace, inserting and edge to match worth 75c, for this sale, 58c.

Finer qualities correspondingly cheap ranging up to \$2.50.

Skirts

A very large collection of new styles made of cambric, nainsook, French and English long cloths, India linens, and muslins trimmed with laces, embroideries, tucking and hemstitching.

A good muslin skirt, 12 inch flounce of cambric, edged with a 4 inch torchon lace, worth 98c, for this sale 69c.

A good muslin skirt, 12 inch flounce of cambric edged with 3 inch Hamburg embroidery, worth \$1.00, for this sale, 75c.

Finer qualities correspondingly cheap ranging up to \$1.00.

Laundered Waists

A manufacturer's lot of first samples, light and dark colors, mussed from being shown and handled, 25c, worth 50 and 75c. Medium sizes only.

White lawn shirt waists 50c, front tucked in clusters, French back.

Fine muslin skirt, flounce of India linen, one row of torchon insertion and edged with lace to match, worth \$1.25, for this sale 85c.

Fine muslin skirt, knee ruffle of India linen deep hem and cluster of tucks, worth \$1.25, for this sale 98c.

Cambric skirt, 15 inch flounce of India linen, two rows of torchon insertion tucked and edged with lace to match, worth \$1.25, for this sale \$1.00.

Fine cambric skirt, knee ruffle of India linen, two rows of drawn work, 3 clusters of tucks, edged with a 3 inch torchon lace, worth \$1.50, for this sale, \$1.25.

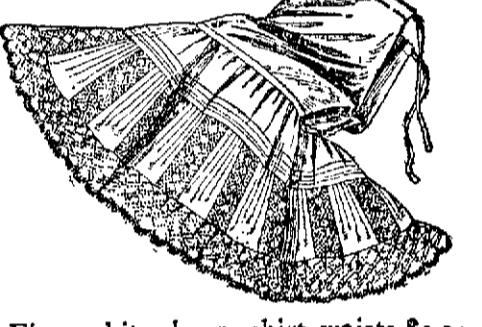
Finer qualities correspondingly cheap ranging up to \$6.50.

At the same time you will find many rare bargains in other sorts of Underwear, including short skirts, chemises and colored gingham skirts.

Silk Waists

A manufacturer's lot of first samples, light and dark colors, mussed from being shown and handled, 25c, worth 50 and 75c. Medium sizes only.

White lawn shirt waists 50c, front tucked in clusters, French back.



Fine white lawn shirt waists \$1.00, several styles.

Silk Waists

The best bargain of the season, \$3.75 each for black and colored silk waists, worth up to \$8.00. All new stock.

BRADLEY BROS.

THE MARKETS

WEAT SHOWED WEAKNESS

And the Market Closed Lower—Corn Weakened Badly at the Close

Chicago, April 28.—Wheat trade was moderate in volume, fluctuations being confined within 1-1/2 to 1-5/8c range. A rather weak feeling was prevalent early in the session and lower prices ruled but later more steadiness developed, but the advance was not maintained, and the close showed it to 1-1/2c less. Very large world shipments, inresponsive to cables and ruling all over the winter wheat belt, Kansas excepted, were the principal deus ex machinae at the start. The Southwest markets were also weak. May spot was steady to 1-2c higher and futures up 1-4 to 3-8c. The feature was the selling of September discount under daily bidding to 3-1/2c. Among the bull bids were 3-1/2c, 4c receipts and large reduction in the offers. Exports were moderate, 28,000 bushels, and five bontions were reported taken on the coast. Local receipts, 23,000.

Corn—Fair trade, the market ruling quiet and firm early, but weaved badly toward the close, which was 1-1/2 to 1-2c lower. Receipts were small, no cables and cables firm, which tended to create a strong undercurrent, the chief feature being the very moderate offerings. The bull interests held in the buying, absorbing most of the sales. Liverpool spot was steady to 1-2c higher and futures 3-8 to 3-1/2c higher. Local receipts, 104,000.

Oats—Stronger and 1-4 to 1-2c higher, but weakened and closed at the bottom, with a loss of 1-2 to 3-4c from the top. Prices sympathized with other grains. Rains west and southwest had a depressing influence on the new crop of futures.

THE PRICES.

Wheat—Moderate trade, weak, 1-1/2c lower; No. 2 red, 81-1/2c; No. 3 red, 82-1/2c; No. 2 hard, 77-7/8c; July, 78-1/2c; No. 3 hard, 77 to 78c; April, 78-1/2c; highest, 79-1/2c; lowest, 75-1/2c; closed at 75-1/2c.

Corn—Fair trade, firm early, but weaved and closed lower; No. 3, 62-3/4 to 63c;

No. 3 yellow, 63-1/4 to 63-3 1/2c; April, 63-1/2c; July opened at 63-5 1/2 to 63-4 1/2c; highest, 64-5 1/2c; lowest, 63-1/2c; closed at 63-1/2c.

Oats—Opened stronger, weakened closed lower; No. 2, 3-1/2 to 3-1/2c; No. 3, 42-1/2c to No. 2 white, 35-45c; No. 3 white, 41-1/2 to 41-1/2c; April, 42-1/2c; July opened at 37-1/2 to 37-3/8c; highest, 37-3/4 to 37-5 1/2c; lowest, 30-7 1/2c; closed at 37-1/2c.

OTHER GRAINS.

Rye—May, 55-1/2c; Barley—Cash, 61 to 70c; Flax, \$1.65 to \$1.75; Timothy—September, \$3.25; Clover—Cash, \$8.50.

RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS.

Receipts, Shipments, Flour (bbls) 20,000 11,000 Wheat (bbls) 43,000 38,000 Corn (bbls) 102,000 52,000 Oats (bbls) 163,000 239,000 PROVISIONS.

Pork—April and May, \$16.80; July, \$17.02; Lard, May, \$10.00; July, \$10.10; Beef—May, \$9.37; July, \$9.47 to \$9.50; Short clear sides, \$9.05 to \$10.00.

PRODUCE.

Butter—Steady; Creamery, 20 to 23c; Cheese—Steady; Large and small, 12 to 13 1/2c; Eggs—Steady; Western at mark, 16 3/4 to 17 1/4c.

Wheat at Minneapolis

Minneapolis, April 28—Wheat—May, 73-1 1/2 to 73-1 1/2c; July, 74-1/2 to 74-5 1/2c; On track, No. 1 hard, 77-1 1/2c; No. 2 northern, 74-1/2 to 75-1 1/2c; No. 2 northern, 75-1 1/2c.

Grain at Liverpool.

Liverpool, April 28—Wheat—Spot quiet; No. 1 northern spring, 6s, 3-1 1/2c; Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, new, 5s 1/2d; American mixed, old, 5s 9d.

The Visible

Chicago, April 28—Visible—Wheat, 40,490,000 bushels; decrease a year ago, 7,908,000. Corn, 6,588,000; decrease, 12,407,000. Oats, 8,114,000; decrease, 9,250,000.

How Prices Fluctuated.

Following is the range of options, with yesterday's closing:

Open High Low Close Yesterday

Wheat—April.... 73 1/2 73 1/2 73 1/2 73 1/2

May 7 1/2 73 1/2 73 1/2 73 1/2

July 7 1/2 73 1/2 73 1/2 73 1/2

Oats—April.... 43 1/2 43 1/2 42 1/2 42 1/2

July 3 1/2 3 1/2 3 1/2 3 1/2

Pork—May 10.87 10.85 16.80 16.82

Lard—May 10.05 10.07 10.00 10.00 0.95

About 18,000 head were marketed here today, an unusually small Monday supply, prices were largely ten cents lower with a remarkably poor demand.

Hogs—Today's receipts fell a good deal short of most expectations, being in the neighborhood of 30,000 head, against 120,000 last Monday. Only about 3,200 were carried over last week and an increase general demand this morning resulted in the recovery of Saturday's decline.

Sheep—Arrivals of 18,000 head were much larger than expected and the trade had a slow movement from the start. The choice fat sheep and the best lambs were wanted at steady prices, but there was more common and medium lambs recently and such dragged on the market at bids of ten cents lower.

THE PRICES.

Chicago, April 28—Cattle—Receipts, 18,000 head. Market strong; good to prime, \$6.80 to \$7.50; poor to medium, \$4.75 to \$6.50; steckers, \$2.75 to \$5.50; cows, \$1.50 to \$6; Texans, \$5.50 to \$6.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 30,000 head. Market strong; mixed butchers, \$6.50 to \$7.25; good choice butchers, \$7.15 to \$7.40; rough heavy, \$6.95 to \$7.15; light, \$6.75 to \$7.05; bulk sales, \$6.30 to \$7.15.

Sheep—Receipts, 18,000 head. Market strong; sheep, \$5.40 to \$6.10; lambs, steady, \$4.75 to \$6.00.

FEEDS.

RETAIL PRICES.

Oats.... 50¢ to 55¢ Corn.... 50¢ to 55¢ Linseed oil meal, ext 1.55 to 2.00

Deals Recorded

J. J. Finn to Annie McMahon, master's deal, a lot in block 3 in Prather, Martin & Gatling's addition to Decatur; \$2,542.

M. E. Connor to John S. House, 8s in block 2 in P. H. Bruck's addition to Decatur; \$3,000.

G. W. Lehman to G. W. Scovill, sheriff's deed to lot 3 in H. H. Burns' subdivision of lot 16 in the southwest quarter of 15, 16, 2 east; \$112.

Frank Moser to Mary A. Hartstine, lot 5 in block 4 in Elchingen Heights, addition to Decatur; \$

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WIFE BELIEVES IT

And on the Story of Her Husband Brings Suit for Divorce

JANUARY TERM AT AN END

Many Cases, Among Them Pleas for Divorce, are Stricken with Leave to Reinstate—New Trials Denied

In court which heard the testimony of Thomas Williams in the Jameson case last week evidently did not believe the story, for they returned a verdict finding Mrs. Jameson not guilty on the bill of complaint. Mrs. Jameson sat in the court room and heard the testimony of her husband as stated his amours with Mrs. Jameson.

At any rate, she has filed suit to have in her bill of complaint that Williams has been faithless by his marriage vows and that he is guilty of an intrigue with Mrs. Jameson.

James B. and Sarah F. Williams were married in Fayette county, O., in 1848 and lived together until April 12, when she left him because he earned of his faithlessness.

Monday the January term of circuit court was adjourned until court in session, which will be on Monday, May 12. A big volume of business was disposed of but in the main it consisted of brief orders that cases be stricken or continued. All motions for a rehearing were dismissed. The dockets will be well used for the beginning of the May term. On the people's docket there are only three cases carried over.

The Friday night rumor concerning the Clark divorce case proved correct, for the verdict was that the woman was entitled to a decree of divorce.

The orders entered on the dockets Monday follow:

CHANCERY.
Udalline Madeline et al vs. Thomas Andrews et al; creditor's bill. Suit dismissed by plaintiff.

Edna Davis et al vs. Ida Downing et al; chancery. Suit dismissed at cost of complaint.

American Trust and Savings bank vs. Clinton Bond et al; creditor's bill. Stances with leave.

Charles T. Jordan vs. Rosa Jordan; divorce. Stricken with leave.

Ida B. Cooper vs. James C. Cooper; divorce. Stricken.

E. L. Pekman vs. Areneath H. Allen; partition. Stricken with leave.

James C. McCarthy vs. Mueller, Platt & Wheeler; chancery. By agreement order of dismissal set aside.

Sophie Ahrens vs. Frank Waller; foreclosure. Continued.

John N. Clark vs. Anna Clark; divorce. Verdict defendant guilty on cross bill and defendant not guilty on original bill. Motion by Anna B. Clark for \$25 as fees allowed.

Pinnie Smith vs. W. A. Smith; separate maintenance. Dismissed.

John E. Cavanaugh vs. Letta E. Cavanaugh; divorce. Dismissed without leave.

Fred Jane Gardner et al vs. Timmons M. Whitney et al; partition. Leave to file new parties defendants and continued.

Arch Majors vs. Zachariah Baughen et al; bill to quiet title. Decree at cost of defendant.

Anna Schellbarger vs. John Schellbarger; divorce. Decree not confessed.

Prattian Jameson vs. Mary Jameson; divorce. Motion for solicitor's fees of \$50 to trial allowed to be paid by complainant in original bill. Motion for costs trial overruled. Motion for leave to dismiss without prejudice allowed.

Matthew Hale vs. M. Bill; bill dismissed for want of equity. Appeal prayed and denied at \$200.

Laura Ely vs. Louis Ely; divorce. C. tested for servile.

J. H. Parker vs. Nathan S. Walter et al; partition. Cause heard and stricken. Susan S. Boyd vs. Washington Deacon; partition. Master's report approved. Commissioners: W. C. Pluck, William J. Bois and A. Vording appointed.

James V. West vs. William West; divorce. Cause heard and decree.

ALL STRUCK WITH LEAVE.
Jamie B. Wells vs. James Wells; divorce.

Anna V. Smith vs. John W. Smith; divorce.

Louis C. Jackson vs. Nellie P. Bell; divorce.

Joseph L. Perry vs. Charlotte Perry; divorce.

Marta Ann James vs. Charles James; divorce and injunction.

May A. Herter vs. Mannie L. Herter; divorce.

Louis P. Steele vs. Mayme Steele; divorce.

Valerie Hill vs. Leopold P. Hill; divorce.

J. R. Taft, trustee, vs. J. W. Smith et al; trespass. Two cases.

George C. Dickerson vs. Maggie Dickerson; divorce.

Mattie Reich vs. Charles Reich; divorce.

Tilly Conn vs. A. M. Conn; divorce.

H. H. Pharis et al vs. F. W. Batt; partition.

Eliza Hardy vs. Charles Hardy; divorce.

Norland Damney vs. James T. Damney; separate maintenance.

R. Wallace Hunt vs. Emma L. Crockett; foreclosure.

LAW.

Susan Lyons vs. Covenant Mutual Life Insurance Co.; assumpst. Stricken with leave.

John E. Patterson, guardian, vs. H. Memphis; trespass. Stricken.

Catherine Moffett vs. Covenant Mutual Life Insurance Co.; assumpst. Stricken.

Burkehard Jensen vs. Wahab Rollway Co.; trespass. Motion by defendant for new trial overruled.

Lizzie Hendley vs. Michael Brown; appeal. New trial denied.

Catherine A. Craig vs. National Protective League; assumpst. New trial denied.

B. F. Holcomb vs. City of Macon; trespass. New trial denied.

C. S. Batchelder vs. J. M. Duff; appeal. New trial denied.

W. H. Purcell vs. W. D. Moffett; appeal. Judgment on verdict.

NO MORE DELAY

Common Law Docket will be Called Today—Defendants Must Plead

In the county court today the common law docket will be called. Judge Hammer gave notice Monday that all defendants must plead today. If the attorneys do not come into court and plead or demur the jury will be discharged and the cases continued until another term.

Majors, Taylor and Hersch, charged with assaulting Ed Funk at Warrensburg some time ago were arraigned on Monday. Majors was discharged and the others fined \$5 and costs each.

These were the docket orders entered.

PEOPLES.

Charles Terpens; assault with deadly weapon. Motion by defendant for continuance allowed.

James Cook; assault and battery. Contested by agreement to August term.

William E. Miller; obtaining money by false pretenses. Defendant called and defended and sentence awarded.

John Taylor, Harry Hersch and Alva Majores; assault and battery. Defendants Taylor and Hersch plead guilty to one count and are fined \$5 and costs each. Both as to Majors.

Ira Myers; disturbing the peace. Stricken with leave.

Fred Cummings; disturbing the peace. Same order.

Frank Walder; petty larceny. Contested with alias.

LAST MAN

To Leave Bunker Hill Likes Buried at Fort Amanda

Port Amanda, near Spencerville, Ohio, is the last resting place of probably one of the greatest heroes of the battle of Banke, 1812, and the very last man to leave the trenches in that memorable fight, namely Peter Sunderland, the great grandfather of ex-County Treasurer J. B. Sunderland and C. P. Sunderland of this place.

By the time the British had made the third charge up the grade the powder supply in the fort had become exhausted, and the Americans were obliged to fight with gunslocks, clubs and stones. Mr. Sunderland, after exhausting his own supply of ammunition, picked up three guns of wounded comrades, only to find that each of them had been discharged. He raised the fourth gun when a British soldier aimed a blow at his neck with a sword. A quick turn of the gun caused the sword to strike directly in Mr. Sunderland's mouth, cutting a deep gash half way to the ears. Again the British soldier struck and again the blow was partially parried, causing the sword to cut through the wall of Mr. Sunderland's abdomen, but at the same time the "fourth gun," which luckily proved to be loaded, was discharged into his antagonist and the bayonet on the gun was thrust through him, killing him instantly. The fate of this warrior seemed to check the other soldiers for a moment, and Mr. Sunderland, who was the last man to leave the fortification, escaped to the swamp below, where he found a man, woman and baby. Sunderland bound a large handkerchief about his abdomen, and the two men and the woman swam across the pond, but the babe had to be pitched from one end to the other at deep places.

On the opposite shore Mr. Sunderland lay concealed in the bushes for three days, steadily growing weaker, the man and woman having songs faintly in flight. His comrades came back daily to search for the wounded, but he could not make them hear, owing to his exhausted condition. On the third day he attracted the attention of his comrades by breaking some sticks and was rescued.

He came to Ohio about 1817 and settled on land near Portion. Soon after this he came to Port Amanda, where his son, Dye Sunderland, entered land that is still owned by the Sunderlands.

Peter Sunderland and wife are both buried at Port Amanda, where a monument marks their resting place.

Died in the South

Decatur friends will be pained to hear of the death of B. F. Walters at Citronville, Ala., where he had gone in the hope of benefiting his failing health. The Citronville Call of April 25th contained the following account of his death:

After a long and weary illness B. F. Walters passed away Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock. Accompanied by his wife and little daughter, he came here from Decatur, Ill., but his constitution was already so undermined that nothing could avail to save him. It was a long, uneven fight and death won. The funeral services were conducted Wednesday morning by Rev. K. P. Simmons, the body being interred in Pine Crest cemetery.

FUNERALS.

LOUISA DODWELL.

The funeral of Louise Dodwell was held Sunday afternoon from his family residence, on East Marquette street. The services were private on account of secret fever and the interment was at Greenwood cemetery.

JOSEPH SCHUERMAN.

The funeral of Joseph Schuerman was held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from St. James church. Rev. Father Tepe officiated and there was a profusion of beautiful flowers. The interment was at Calvary cemetery.

Farmers! We have a few wood frame Haworth planters (34 width) in stock which we will sell at a bargain. A better planter was never made. We guarantee them to do perfect work. Call and see sample. Haworth & Sons Manufacturing Co., Decatur, Ill.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Lyle, at their home in Pawnee, on Friday, April 25, a son.

RUSSELL IS DEAD

Comedian Who Was a Great Favorite in Decatur Expires in Washington

HAD BEEN HERE MANY TIMES

The Associated Press Monday brought the news of the death of Sol Smith Russell, at Washington, D. C. He had been in failing health for a year, first being attacked by asthma, which eventually developed into locomotor ataxia. Recently there has been a gradual decline and his death was not unexpected to his friends.

He was born at Brunswick, Me., in 1848 and for many years has been on the stage. Throughout his long career he had been a regular visitor to Decatur. In the early seventies he became associated with the Berger family of Bell Rangers and made his headquarters at Jacksonville, Fla. O. Jones, who knows his professional career, states that his first visit to Decatur was in 1874, when he appeared at the Smith opera house. At that time he was doing a monologue, and he was just as funny in that as he was in any more pretentious effort of late years. That was his distinct charm. No matter in what part he was cast, he was simply Sol Smith Russell, and those who knew him intimately, say that off the stage, his voice and mannerisms were identical with his action on the stage, so that in reality the public laughed and wept, not with the actor, but with the real man. His next visit to Decatur was in "Edgewood Folks," and his last in "The Hon. John Griggs," about three years ago. In the interim he had given us "A Poor Relation," a strange combination of humor and pathos and by many regarded as his best effort, "Prairie Valley," and "A Bachelor's Romance." Fred Berger, with whom the great comedian was associated in an early day, continued his manager throughout his long professional career.

OVER TWO MILLIONS.

Washington, April 28: Sol Smith Russell, the actor, died this afternoon of pneumonia. Russell had been ill for some time from this malady, but during the past few days the disease took a serious turn and since early morning the end had been hourly expected.

The deceased will be buried in Rock Creek cemetery, near this city, Wednesday. Russell leaves a wife and two children, Miss L. Alice Russell and Robert E. Russell of Minneapolis. His estate exceeds two million dollars.

SEMI-CENTENNIAL

Presbyterians Make Arrangements for Important Event in Their History

The committee on arrangements for the semi-centennial celebration to be held this week by the First Presbyterian church held a meeting Monday afternoon and selected the members of the reception committee and the ushers. The elders of the church will act as ushers. The final arrangements are about completed.

Among the former pastors of the church who will be here are Rev. W. H. Prestley of Newton, Ill.; Rev. D. C. Marquis, D. D., of Chicago, and Rev. A. B. Morey, D. D., of Jacksonville, moderator of Springfield presbytery. Congratulatory messages have been received from Rev. Holt, McKenzie, D. D., of New York, and Rev. Samuel Conant of Los Gatos, Calif.

The following program has been outlined for Thursday and Friday evenings and Saturday, May 1, 2 and 3:

THURSDAY EVENING—7:30.

(The pastor presiding.)

Devotional exercises.

Historical Sketch—Dr. S. E. McClelland.

Homiletic—How Firm a Foundation?

Address—Looking Backward—Rev. W. H. Prestley.

Greetings from presbytery, by the moderator—Rev. A. B. Morey, D. D.

Music—Gathering from Pastors' union.

Letters and reminiscences (two minute talks).

Social reunion and refreshments in the lecture room.

FRIDAY EVENING—7:30.

(A. H. Mills presiding.)

Music by the Sunday school orchestra.

Opening exercises.

Historical sketch of the Y. P. S. C. E.—Mrs. A. E. Murphy.

Old time Sunday school hymns.

Things that I remember—A. T. Hill.

Historical sketch of the Y. P. S. C. E.—Miss Harriet J. Brown.

Music.

Address—President A. R. Taylor.

Recollections of early days (two minute talks).

Informal reception, music, refreshments in the lecture room.

SUNDAY, MAY 4.

Morning service—Communion, baptism, reception of members.

In the evening, sermon by D. C. Marquis, D. D.

The monthly meeting of the session was held Monday night and routine business transacted.

Corrigan Still Improves

New York, April 28—The condition of Archbishop Corrigan has greatly improved and he passed a peaceful day. His physicians report the pneumonia now thoroughly broken and the only danger now lies in the patient's weakened condition owing to his long and severe illness.

"The Congressional Record may show that other members talk more frequently and at greater length, but so far as I am aware from personal experience Mr. Mann deserves the title of champion talker. Mr. Hepburn recently gave him the title of champion kicker. If he keeps up his present gait he will soon hold all the championships."

Delegates Arriving</div

